"Hurricane Hal," Senior Class Play—Presented Here Friday, April 15

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Senior Class Play Friday, April 15th

"Hurricane Hal", Comedy-Drama Name of Play

Friday evening, April fifteenth, at eight o'clock in the New School Auditorium the Senior Class will present "Hurricane Hal," a comedy-drama of college life, in three acts.

SYNOPSIS

Hal has been a senior for a long time; each year when he is all set to graduate he loses his heart to some girl, usually an under-graduate, so he stays. This year he seems to be headed surely toward graduation and his sheepskin when along comes Kay. The fall is mutual. Through a strange twist of circumstances each believes that the other is married and there you are, everything all tangled up.

Produced by special arrangement with the Parquhar Play Bureau of Franklin, Ohio.

—P. O. H.—

Music Contest

From reading the Messenger some people may get the notion that our entire activities are confined to athletics, but a visit to Barium will convince them differently. We have quite a number of youngsters engaged in various other ocupations, and excelling. Take music, for instance, we do not have as many big public contests as we do in athletics, but our youngsters are in there trying all the time, and under the most excellent guidance of Miss Green when they do get a chance to show their wares before the public, we are not ashamed of the exhibition.

All of which is preliminary to stating that we had six children entered in the regional contest for state supremacy in instrumental music. Marion McCall, Mary Lathan West, Elsie Brown, T. L. O'Kelley, Frances Lowrance and Leila Johnston being the participants. Two of these secured second place: Marion McCall and Mary Latham West, but all six gave a very creditable performance, and received most favorable comment from the spectators, even though the judges could not place them at the head of the list. It was a splendid performance and we are proud of all of them.

—P. O. H.—

Varsity Track Schedule

March 25, Oakhurst High School at Oakhurst.

April 1st, Mocksville at Mocksville.

April 6, Oakhurst at Barium.

April 13, North Wilkesboro at North Wilkesboro.

April 20, Winston-Salem at Barium.

April 29, Charlotte at Barium.

May6, Civitian Meet at Greensboro, Teck High of Charlotte in case Civitian Meet is not held.

May 13, North Wilkesboro at Barium.

May 21, State Orphanage Meet at Winston-Salem.

—P. O. H.—

"A gawky lad saw, for the first time, a school girl going through some of her gymnastic exercises for the amusement of the little ones at home. After gazing at her with look of interest and commiseration for a while he asked a boy near by if that gal had fits? No, replied the lad, contemptuously, that's gymnastics. Oh, 'tis hey? said the verdant; how long has she had 'em?"

Dr. Samuel A. Grier Dies At Harrisburg

Dr. Samuel A. Grier, 90 years of age, and for more than half a century a practicing physician of Cabarrus county, died at his home at Harrisburg Friday night March 18th, from a sudden heart attack. Dr. Grier had suffered for about a week with pneumonia, but was thought to be on the road to recovery when the sudden summons came.

Dr. Grier was a native of Mecklenburg County, born in the Steel Creek community October 8th, 1841, was an honored Confederate veteran, the last survivor of a large family and one of the five brothers who served throughout the War between the States. He was the last survivor of the Hornets Nest, organized in Mecklenburg County in 1861, and the last survivor of the famous battle of Bethel in North Carolina. At the time of his death he was Surgeon General on the staff of General William A. Smith, Commander of the North Carolina Department of United Confederate Veterans.

Funeral service was held at the home at Harrisburg Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock conducted by Rev. Mr. Wilson, of the Presbyterian Church. Interment was in the Harrisburg Cemetary. General Smith read a fitting tribute to Dr. Grier at the grave.

Dr. Grier was the father of ten children, eight of whom survive as follows: Mrs. J. M. Blain, of Hangchow, China; Mr. Sanuel A. Grier of Barium Springs; Mrs. C. N. G. Butt, of Charlotte; Mrs. W. G. Hall, of Statesville; Mrs. G. H. Richmond, of Concord; Mrs. H. J. Bost, of Harrisburg; Mr. T. L. Grier, an official at Jackson Training School, Concord; and Mrs. E. C. Parrish, of Rougemont, N. C. Mrs. Grier died many years ago. —Mooresville Enterprise, March 24.

—P. O. H.—

Baby Cottage

BABY COTTAGE, March 23—We have been very busy hem-stitching curtains for our dining room. As we are just learning how to hem-stitch they will not bear very close inspection, but we think they look rather nice. You see they are our own hand work.

One of the nicest things about it is, with the help of some friends from the Galatia church, we have gotten some new shades to put under our new curtains.

Since our last writing we are very much delighted to have our most beloved matron back with us.. We were very glad to have Mrs. Fred Culp with us while "Mama McGirt" was away and we miss her very much and hope she will come to see us some time. We hardly know which of us was the happiest "we girls," and babies or "Mama Girt" for her to get back?

Several of us were very happy to have visits from some of our people. Iris Spencer had a visit from her mother and two sisters. Mable Billings and Myrtle and Mable Weddington had a visit from their grandmother and cousins. Also one of our big girls, Zora Lee had a very pleasant visit to Statesville for the weekend with some of her friends, Mrs. Shackleford and her daughter, Janie and Audrey.

We are looking forward to our Easter vacation.

We have been enjoying the peanuts which were given to us during the Christmas holidays.

We missed Mrs. Grier, our Sunday School teacher, Sunday, for she was called away by the death of Mr. Grier's father. They have our sympathy in their sorrow.

Well, so long. You'll hear from us next month.

MARCH ATHLETICS

We are going to give you a running account of the athletics in March without any attempts to classify the various activities, but in the form of a diary.

On March the second, our 125-pound boys journeyed to Concord to play a return game. This was a red hot game from start to finish, with Barium emerging the victory by a double score. This would appear to have been a walk over, but the account of the game is to the contrary. Concord gave Barium a tight game from start to finish.

On March the third, our varsity girls went to Charlotte for a return game with Central High, and were defeated 20-14. This was just too bad. The system of scoring used in this game was new to Barium, overhead shots only counted one; other shots counted two. It was the only game during the year in which that particular form of scoring was used, and it cost us the game. Counting the scoring as we were used to, we defeated Charlotte 21-20.

However, it is the final score as announced by the referee that counts, and it goes down in history that Central high has defeated our team twice the same year. A rather unusual occurrence.

On Saturday, March the fifth, we had a return game with Newton. Our girls defeated Newton 38-19. Our boys defeated Newton 17-15. Our boys had been idle for so long that Newton all but beat us. It would have been no discredit to us, because Newton has a splendid boys team.

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THE DOG.

I've never known a dog to wag
His tail in glee he did not feel,
Nor quit his old-time friend to tag
At some more influential heel,
The yellowest cur I ever knew
Was to the boy who loved him true.
I've never known a dog to show
Half-way devotion to his friend,
To seek a kinder man to know
Or richer; but unto the end
The humblest dog I ever knew
Was to the man who loved him true.
I've never known a dog to fake
Affection for a present gain,
A false display of love to make
Some little favor to attain.
I've never known a "Prince" or "Spot"
That seemed to be what he was not.
And I have known a dog to bear
Starvation's pang from day to day
With him who had been glad to share
His bread and meat along the way.
No dog, however mean or rude,
Is guilty of ingratitude.

—Labor.

—P.O.H.—

Kiwanis-Rotary Supper

On Friday night, March the 18th the annual supper at Barium Springs to the Civic Clubs of Iredell County was held, and a rather large gathering attended.

The unusually large number is of course taking into consideration the fact that the clubs are much smaller than they have been in years past. The membership averaging nearer twenty per club, rather than seventy or eighty as was the case one time.

Apparently the gathering forgot for the time being, that there was such a thing as depression, bad business, bankruptcies and such, and settled themselves to enjoy the evening.

Writing this article as an interesting and innocent bystander, it appears to us that the program this year was the best yet. Mss Carson had the main responsibility for the program. She was assisted by Miss Green, and Miss Thompson of the Barium faculty, and Mr. Murray Grier of Statesville.

The children putting on the little playlet and Minstrel, performed their parts splendidly, and not only the guests, but the home crowd at Barium seemed to get equal enjoyment out of the performance.

The programs and little paper, the Luncheon Lizzard were gotten up in an attractive manner, the results of the effort of Mr. Edwards and the Printing Office force.

Everybody seemed to have a good time, except the relatives of the hogs that furnished the main part of our supper, and since hogs have such short memories, they have no doubt forgotten their grief by this time.

On April the 21st, we will no doubt entertain again about 100 men of Concord Presbytery. Rev. Marshall Woodson of Salisbury will be in charge of this program; Barium Springs being the place selected to have this meeting.

There will no doubt be some additional grief in the hog lot about this time.

—P. O. H.—

Howard

Howard Cottage, March 24—Just two more months of schoool! We wish it was already out, but I guess we will have to wait a few more months. We all want to make our grades, so we are studying real hard.

We didn't have to go to study hour Friday night because of the Kiwanis Supper. We enjoyed the entertainment our children gave, and we believe the visitors did too.

We have been enjoying the grade basketball games. We sure did some rooting for our grades.

All our girls seem to be outgrowing their dresses and we are having to lengthen some almost every day.

We had our work changed this month and are trying to do their work well.

Miss Marshal found a home for our cat in Statesville. We certainly do miss it, but we hope it likes the new home and they like him as much as we did.

Spring is here and we will be glad when summer comes.

We have been working in our garden planting shrubbery. We have some fine dahlia bulbs for sale. They will be ready by April fifteenth or May first. The colors are pink, orchid, lavender, red and yellow. The price for each bulb is fifteen cents.

ALICE JONES

Standing Of Presbyteries At Close Of Fiscal Church Year

PRESBYTER	MARCH RECEIPTS	Amt. Rc'd. per Member	Total Amt. per Member for Year	Amount due per Mem.	STANDING
Winston-Salem	$1107.39	31c	$2.20½	$1.50	70½ ahead
Concord	$ 655.22	5¾c	$1.03¼	$1.50	46¾c behind
Mecklenburg	$1865.51	11½c	$1.00¾	$1.50	49¼c behind
Kings Mountaini	$ 585.14	11c	92c	$1.50	58c behind
Albemarle	$ 204.55	5¼c	89¾c	$1.50	60¼c behind
Orange	$ 877.56	8c	84½c	$1.50	65½c behind
Granville	$ 415.51	7¾c	76¼	$1.50	73¾c behind
Wilmington	$ 378.98	5c	67½c	$1.50	82½c behind
Fayetteville	$ 999.81	81/4c	61¾c	$1.50	88¼c behind
TOTAL,	$7,088.67	9.4c	92.1c	$1.50	57.9c behind

The TABLE of RECEIPTS for March is before you. A total of $7,088.00 from the Synod has been received. This leaves the total receipts a little under two-thirds of what we had expected and needed. Up to this time, there has been contributed per member over the entire Synod, ninety-two cents. It takes an average of a dollar and a half per member to maintain the Orphanage.

So, as we sum up at the end of the church year, we find that we have just gone a little under two-thirds of the way.

There will be a good many belated contributions coming during the month of April. Last year, there was a total of $6,400.00 received durduring April to apply on the old church year.

We are always mighty glad to get these belated contributions, but there are two sides to it. Since the business of sending in amounts to apply on the old church year, after March the 31st, has been a practice, so much effort has been given to this that the regular contributions for April are very seriously neglected. In other words. this makes us stay about a month behind all year.

Last April, we received less than a thousand dollars to apply on the new year.

Now, just a word of warning. As this is written, the papers all over the State are proclaiming the tidings that the Duke Endowment is distributing money to the various Orphanages. You will note that Barum Springs will get $8,500.00 This announcement every year brings some encouragement to the people that we owe, and a feeling of relief to the friends of the Orphanage, but it brings a distinct feeling of dread to us, because we know that every time that this announcement is made, there is a very decided slowing up in the receipts of the Orphanage.

It is usually about thirty days between the time that the announcement is made, and the actual receiving of the check by us, and receipts have been falling off during that thirty days to such an extent, that by the time that we receive the Duke Endowment check, it is to a certain extent, already spent. It has to be used to make up for the defiency that arises between the announcement of the check and the receiving of it.

We plead wth all of you not to make the contribution from the Duke Endowment a hurt instead of a help. It is so easy to slack up in your own efforts, and just a little lightening up on your part more than offsets the good that this check will do.

We are accustomed to get it down to a per member basis.

The Duke Endowment check for $8,500.00 is equivalent to eleven cents from each member of the Synod, and we fear that the announcement of this check causes everyone to ease up about twenty-five cents. It does not take much of a relaxation to reduce contributions eleven cents per member, and if it goes over that, of course the announcement of the Duke gift is more of a hurt than a help.

Isn't it possible for all to pull together on this thing, and let this help coming from an agency entirely separate from our church, be a means to help us through the present trying situation.

The Orphanage was carried on before we had this outside help. Surely we can carry the load with that help.

We hate to talk so much about money in our little MESSENGER. We are graduating the third largest class in the history of the Institution thins year. They are a fine lot of young people. We would like to run their pictures, and a brief history of each member of the class, and we plan to do this in the next issue, and we hope all that will be necessary to say about me, will be a great big "Thank You" for having sent us enough to pay out of debt. Fifty-eight cents per member from the entire Synod will perform a miracle at Barium, and that is the amount you are behind.

—P. O. H.—

OBITUARY

Death has come very close to our Barium community three times recently. Mrs. Parks, for a long time a resident of Barium, passed away and was buried at Little Joe's' church.

Dr. S. A. Grier, father of Mr. S. A. Grier, Jr., our beloved Sunday School Superintendent, passed away March 18th.

Mrs. Stevenson, the grandmother of two of our workers, died recently. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones of these families.

—P. O. H.—

In 1928 there were 43,184 millionaires in the United States. In 1930 these had dwindled to 19,688. The reduction of values and the stock market smash account for most of this loss of more than 50 per cent.

EASTER

What does Easter mean? To some it is the time to dress up in new spring clothes. To others it is the time for the semi-annual visit to the church. It is the time for the egg eating contests. It is the time for the important Easter bunny. Easter is, to a few, a great day because of religious events.

Often, of course, it means more than just one of the things mentioned. Easter is truly a religious holiday. It is celebrating the Resurrection of Christ after He had been dead for three days.

Lilies and various other signs of spring are used as symbols of Easter. The coming of spring is like the Resurrection itself, because apparently new life is given to dead objects. The trees seemingly lifeless during the winter months, burst into bud. The flowers and the grass begin to grow anew. The birds return to their northern homes. Because of this new life these lovely symbols of spring are used as tokens of Easter.

Our custom of having Easter eggs probaby came from the ancient Persians. To them eggs meant new life. With this meaning eggs are truly a symbol of the day. Many people believe that the different colors on the eggs stand for various things, white for purity and red for redemption.

In Germany the children have a myth about the Easter bunny which corresponds to that of our Santa Claus. If they have been good throughout the year the Easter bunny visits them on Easter morning and leaves a nest of colored eggs.

When we see the trees and plants burst into life in the spring we think of all the wonderful things that have been put on this earth for our comfort and pleasure. Because we realize this it makes us happy and we want to wear our best clothes, we want to think our most pleasant thoughts.

All of these traditions probably, when originated, had a religious motive. But now we sometimes forget the significance of these things, which are really just ways of showing our remembrance of this great day.

The bells on Easter morning are calling us to look forward with new hope and happy hearts. They remind us that,

"The year's at the spring
And day's at the morn:
Morning's at seven:
The hillside's dew-pearled;
The lark's on the wing;
The snail's on the thorn—
God's in His heaven—
All's right with the world."

—Exchange.

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HARD TIMES CATCH JUGTOWN PHILOSOPHER IN VERY BAD SHAPE

Moore County News

Summing up the main trouble with this country in his own case, Mike Clarke, Jugtwon, Randolph County, philosopher, stated in a letter to a banker: "I spent all my cash in 1928 and used my credit in 1929 and traded up all my future wages in 1930 and so hard times caught me in bad shape last fall."

His quaint rustic philosophy regarding hard times is revealed in the letter which follows:

" There seems to be so much talk about so-called Republican prosperity, I believe 'tis my duty to write my views on the same and help analyze the situation as far as possible so's we can make up our minds we had auto change our ways of living and so forth.

"I have taken my own case, for example. I see my mistakes and many others have acted likewise. I bought a Ford instead of a farm and it's worn out, but the farm I figured is still O. K. I invested in a radio instead of a cow, and the radio gives static instead of milk.

"I am feeding four nice hounds which answer to the names of Red, Wing, Red Slobber, Jake, Bayrum, instead of four pigs. I had our piano tuned instead of having the well cleaned out. I spent all my cash in 1928, and used up credit in 1929 and traded up all my future wages in 1930, so hard times caught me in bad shape.

"If I had spent my last ten dollars for flour and meat instead of gas and oil I would have been O. K. I built a nice gararge last year instead of covering my barn and I loafed two weeks on a mountain instead of being in pasture fixing it so's my cow couldn't get out, but now she is dry and mortgaged to boot for two blankets my wife got from an agent instead of paying the preacher.

"I'm on a cash basis now but I ain't got no cash. I am tied to the end of my rope and the man I am working for is busted on account of nobody wouldn't pay him and his cotton won't sell 'cause nobody will not buy cotton clothes. All the gals wear silky underdear right here in our cotton patches. I had four dollars saved up for a rainy day and it turned dry and I spent the four dollars for two inner-tubes.

"I tried hard to make both ends meet with a turnip patch, but when I got turnips ready to sell everybody else was selling turnips for nothing and the market was glutted. I am worried plum to the bone and my wife's kinfolks are coming over next Tuesday to spend two weeks.

"Write or phone if you hear of any relief from the government coming down my way, and I am willing to be either a Democrat or a Republican for a few weeks if that will help any.

——P. O. H.——

What Did the World War Cost?

It has been estimated that its total money costs for the period of its duration was $186,000,000,000. Add to this the additional cost due to the destruction of property and the estimated money-value of the 10,000,000 soldiers killed in the war, which has been estimated at $169,000,000,000, and its total cost for the period of its duration amounts to $355,000,000,000. This is about equal to the total wealth of the United States.—The Cristian Statesman.

WHAT PRICE EDUCATION

A learned man once asked, "What is the most important thing in life, that money can buy?" The person addressed answered without a moments hesitation, "Luxuries."

An annoyed frown crossed the brow of the questioner and he said, "How can luxuries be appreciated without an education?"

Then he was asked, "Why is an education so important?"

Education is important because it gives one a greater appreciation of life, music, reading, etc. How can anyone obtain luxuries without an education?"

An educated person soon learns to live with people without conflict. They will always avoid hurting others either by speech or action.

Thus anyone who cannot live peaceably with others is not well-educated.

After all an education is the important luxury of the earth.

SHALL THE EXECUTIVE BE A FIELD MAN ALSO

It goes without saying that an executive should be very much on hand to direct the staff of workers who are trying to do the job. It is not supposed that he can be away for very long period nor very frequently. And yet most executives that we know are called upon for frequent addresses and visits to various points. Recently one was criticising an executive for being away from home too much. It was thought that he had a loose hold upon his work and upon his workers because the supervisor was not close and stant. On the other hand, it may readily be seen that one may coop himself up at home so closely as to fail to have contact with his constituency or with fellow workers in the same line of servce. It is probably true that a man may err in either direction. If a man is an acceptable public speaker he is likely to have many invitations to go out to address audiences and if if he does not mind he may find that the temptations to gratify himself in this way grows upon him in a decided way. He will probably find that it is easy to yield to a request and get away from the grinding of the mill. It is pleasant to go out and meet friendly people and be well received and delightfully entertained.

In our judgement one has to weigh conscientiously the points in connection with the value of going out to make speeches and either directly or indirectly raise money for the institution. And yet some of it should be done in order that an executive may know his brethern and be in sympathy with the tidal influences and changes that constantly develop. Our own opinion is that an executive should go out from time to time, but that his big job is to stay at home and direct the work over which he has been placed. If he is strong in administration and develops a fine organization it will speak for itself. and he wll not need go out to argue personally for the value of his work. There will be others to tell the story. His main strength should be put on the home job and it should be a secondary consideration as to going into the field. The thought comes to mind that some pastors are prized for their pulpit ability and others for the personal work they do in organizing and directing the activities of the church. Many a successful pastor has been a great visitor, though he has not been a very strong pulpit man. And many a successful pastor has been strong in the pulpit, though everybody knew him to be weak in working at the pastoral duties. It is strange that men are not always so made that they may, when called to the pastorate of a church, be able both in the pulpit and as administrators and leaders of the work. But it is a sad fact that most of them excel either in one line or the other and that they are not excellent in meeting both these demands.

If a young executive or a beginner should ask advice on the subject we should be disposed to suggest to him that his first job should be to develop a strong force of workers and train them in the service and at the same time give much attention to study of the children as to their individual traits and personal needs. Then we should say that as opportunty might offer it woud be well for him from time to time to get out among the people for acquaintance, fellowship and inspiration.—Connie Maxwell Monthly.

——P. O. H.——

Wife: "Dear, tomorrow is our tenth wedding anniversary. Shall I kill the turkey?"

Hubby: "No. Let him live. He didn't have anything to do with it."

Neither days nor lives can be made holy by doing nothing in them.

—Ruskin.

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Slogans to Live With

There is nothing like a slogan to keep in mind exactly where you want it to be. Just reading the words of one earnestly and with great conviction will often change one's mind, or make one see things in a different way, or will bring out those hidden, unusual powers which, the psychologist tell us, are always latent in the mind only wait ing to be called upon.

"Do it now"—that ancient slogan—keeps you from putting off little distasteful duties, the neglect of which might cause you great inconvenience.

"This one thing I do"—keeps the mind from straying off into idle dreams while the work in your hands remains at a standstill.

"If it's worth doing at all, it's worth doing well"—makes you more careful and painstaking.

"Clean up after one job before beginning another"—will keep your surroundings, wherever they be, "picked up" and neat.

"Whatsoever you do, do all to the glory of God."—Paul's counsel to the Corinthians, will make you put love in your undertakings, be they great or small, and everything you do will be glorified.

"Do the thing and you have the power."—Wonderful words of Emerson, will take you splendidly through some of the hardest uddertakings—things that you have hated or feared to do. —Intermediate Weekly

—P. O. H.—

Special Services at Little Joe's

Rev. W. C. Brown, pastor at Little Joe's church here, announces a series of services to be held in Little Joe's church beginning on Tuesday, April 26th, and continuing through Sunday, April 30th. Dr. A. R. McQueen of Dunn, N. C., will be the speaker at the services.

——P.O.H.——

Old Man Winter

Just about the time that the neighbors had begun digging into their garden enough so that your chickens thought maybe a worm had gone begging, Old Man Winter, who's been playing hookey somewhere besides these sometimes United States, up and pulled all kinds of stunts with the month of March. Temperatures as low as 12 degrees prevailed here the 10th. of March. Snow sleet and rain comprised a varied menu of blizard weather on the night of March the 5th.

——P. O. H.——

Messenger's Mailing List Assumes Large Proportions

Since the March issue of the Messenger was mailed, sufficient number of new names have been added to list making it necessary for copies printed this month to total 17,000.

This is the largest mailing list maintained since the birth of Barium Messenger.

——P.O.H.——

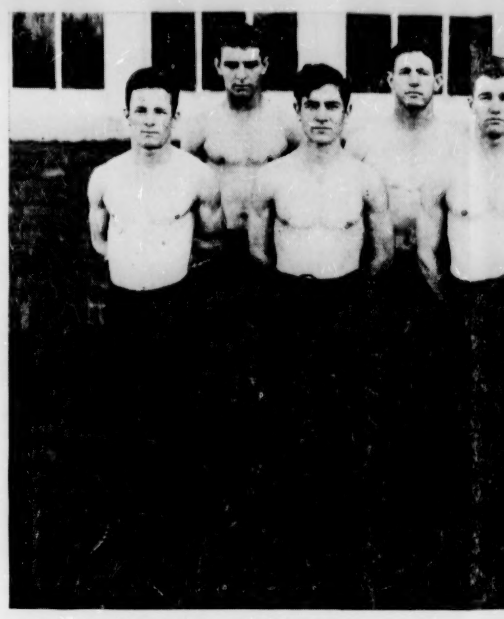
One danger you have is the winning success in the minor thing, and neglecting your major business.

We ought not only to be honest and true but to make people know that we are honest and true.

Visitor (to farmer): "Is it correct to say that a hen 'sits or sets?'"

Farmer: "I don't care whether she 'sits' or 'sets.' What I want to know is, when she cackles does she 'lay' or 'lie? ? ?'"

The Wrestling T



Barium Springs' Fami

We show from time to time, pictures of o teams, etc., but today we are showing anothe our crop of twins. Look at them right hard dizzy. So many of these twins are in the sec apt to think that they are seeing double. The cal twins in that one room.

You will note that there are three pairs o two mixed pair, and two boys that have jus now students at Davidson College.

Their names are as follows—On the fro Shoaf; Evelyn and Helen Billings; Gaston Jack and Tom McCall.

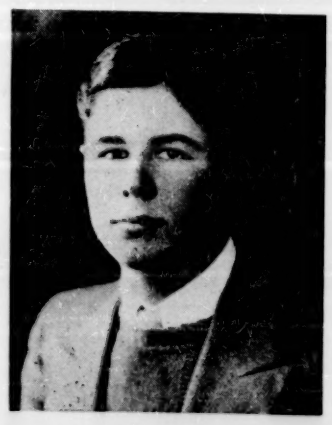
Back row—(left to right)—Grace and A Dick Brown; Wilma and Lee Jessup.

We are also displaying pictures of the te us and carried our colors to victory so many months. You will find elsewhere a record of th lost three basketball games, winning twenty-fi winning nineteen. The wrestling team lost on lose by graduation, three of the girls, and by forwards.

Of the boys' basketball, we lose all but on wrestling team loses two. So you can look for pictures next year, but we are just optimistic will see just as good a record as this year. Al stiff competition. The final games that the gi Iredell County Champions, and we defeated games. The boys' basketball were victorious mee, Mills Home, and Harmony; and these school a stiff work-out.

The wrestling team lost to Carolina, but h bury High, Leaksville, and High Point College We wrestled High Point College twice, This was probably the biggest event on our to Carolina Freshmen by a rather close score in Carolina rather than a letting down on our a year ago, 25-3. They defeated us this year,

TWINS OF THE CLASS



BEN AND CHARLES F

ng Team

Family of Twins

res of our various classes, athletic another combination, and that is ht hard and see if they make you, the second grade that visitors are ble. There are three sets of identi-

pairs of girls, two pairs of boys, have just finished Barium and are

the front row, May and Mabel Gaston and Victor Allessandrinni;

and Agnes Coppedge; Elsie and

f the teams that have entertained o many times during the past three ord of their performance. The girls wenty-five. The boys lost one game, lost one meet, winning five. We and by the way, they are all three

l but one, by graduation, and the look for a lot of new faces in these ptimistic enough to believe that you year. All of these teams have faced t the girls played were against the efeated them easily in two straight ctorious over such teams as Cooleed these teams will give any high

a, but had no difficulty with Salist College.

twice, defeating them both times. on our wrestling schedule. We lost ose score, shows a big improvement n on our part. We defeated Carolina his year, 14-10.

CLASS OF '31

ARLES FORTE

Farm - Campus

FARM, March 11, 1932—Whew! That wind surely does go down your neck. Everybody is wearing more clothes now since the March winds have begun to blow. Nearly all the winter months have been moderately warm but it seems to be the same old story every year beginning with March—March winds, April showers, and May flowers.

Nevertheless this kind of weather does not stop our agricultural activities. We pull stumps about three days out of every week and the stump puller is working fairly well too. We have nearly finished our old new ground. We have already plowed up the greater part of it and sowed late oats in it. Our other oats and wheat are coming along nicely, it is about six or seven inches high.

The other new grounds have been plowed and are waiting for the corn to come along. There will not be as much corn planted here this year as there was last year because we are expecting a very plentiful crop from our other farm in the Eastern part of the state.

Barum has had a successful basket-ball season with the loss of only a few games by our girls and one of our boys. We are having the last games of the season at the present time. Also track has begun and we have a few eager participants. The first track meet will be held pretty soon. One way to interest the boys is to have a high school track meet between the four grades here and to have class basket-ball games. The winners of these sports get so many points and at the end of the school year, a banner is awarded the grade having the greater number of points. Nearly all the High School boys and girls take part in these sports.

The farm group finished splitting up the sawed pine wood the other day and it is ready to be hauled to our neighbors at Troutman. We usually saw all the wood except pine, for heater-wood, fire-wood etc. There is a lot of it piled up over in the woods to be sawed yet. In order to have new cross ties for our railroad side-track down at the boiler-room, we are sawing down large trees and hauling them to Troutman to be sawed into crossties. The four wagons are kept busy all day long.

The boys who work on the Farm in the morning have killed a large number of hogs this week for the well known Kiwanis supper we have here annually. This is one of the biggest occasions we have at Barium because so many people come. Representives from different clubs are present. The clubs are Kiwanis, Rotary, and Lions. This big day happens to come Friday, the 18th of March, this year.

There has been installed at Mr. Lackey's house a furnace to warm our many chickens. It takes a lot of wood but we profit by it immensely.

Mr. Lackey is doing very good work with the chickens because we have eggs, scrambled and boiled about four or five times a week.

We have just about run out of news so there will be no more till some rabbit lays a few Easter eggs, so that we can look for them.

Signed: The FARM GROUP

—P.O.H.—

IF I HAD A BOY—

If I had a boy I would say to him "Son,
Be fair and be square in the race you must run,
Be brave if you lose and be meek if you win
Be better and nobler than I've been,
Be honest and fearless in all that you do
And honor the name that I have given to you."

If I had a boy, I would want him to know
We reap in this life just about as we sow,
And we get what we earn, be it little or great,
Regardless of luck and regardless of fate.
I would teach him and show him, the best that I could,
That it pays to be honest and upright and good.

I would make him a pal and partner of mine,
And show him the things that in this world are fine,
I would show him the things that are wicked and bad,
For I figure this knowledge should come from his dad.
I would walk with him, talk with him, and play with him, too.
And to all my promises strive to be true.

We would grow up together and I'd be a boy
And share his trouble and share his joy.
We would work out problems together and then
We would make our plans when we both would be men.
And oh, what a wonderful joy it would be!
No pleasure in life could be greater to me.

—Frank Carlton Nelson.

Support

Lenoir Church, A Friend	20.00
Aux. Lake Waccamaw	2.00
Alamance Church	5.00
Aux. Asheboro	3.75
Bethesda Church	.80
Aux. Buffalo (L)	.75
Cross Road Church	1.50
Eno Church	1.14
Griers Church	.37
Bessemer Church	1.80
Bethesda Church	1.42
Jonesboro Church	2.50
Meban Church	26.85
Red House Church	9.00
Sanford Church	8.95
Spray Church	3.26
Westminister Church	18.08
Yanceyville Church	.32
Alamance Church	17.72
Westminister Church	16.12
Huntersville S. S.	4.50
Buffalo (G) S. S.	17.00
Rocky Point S. S.	2.10
Pittsboro S. S.	2.54
Cramerton S. S.	4.02
Reynold Church	300.00
Men's B. C. Greensboro 1st S. S.	20.55
S. S. Covenant (Greensboro)	22.49
Mocksville S. S.	8.00
Aux. Macpherson	10.00
Albemarle Church	12.00
Amity Church	12.00
Hopewell Aux.	6.75
McGee Church	5.00
Myers Park Church	231.50
Paw Creek Church	40.00
Philadelphia Church	3.00
Seversville Church	12.50
St. Pauls Church	15.00
Sugaw Creek Church	28.00
Williams Memorial Church	12.00
Aux. Charlotte 2nd.	50.00
C. E. Thomasville	5.00
Black River S. S.	2.25
Broadway S. S.	2.24
Wilmington 1st Church	43.00
Aux. Wilmington	50.00
Montpelier S. S.	6.59
Aux. New Bern 1st	17.00
S. S. New Bern	11.62
New Hope S. S.	4.05
Duncan's Creek S. S.	3.95
Rock Branch S. S.	55.70
Aux. West Avenue	4.00
Morven S. S.	4.00
Fayetteville 1st Church	45.00
Aux. Rocky Mt. 1st	10.00
Lumber Bridge Church	1.50
Front Street S. S.	7.31
Charlotte 2nd Church	150.00
Aux. Lumber Bridge	3.00
Aux. Salisbury 2nd	10.00
Grove S. S.	3.57
Belmont 1st Church	200.00
Brittain Church	3.07
Covenant Church	10.14
Cramerton Church	15.00
Duncan's Creek Church	.82
New Hope Church	2.78
Rutherfordton Church	5.98
Lincolnton Church	30.00
Phillips Fidelis Class Charlotte 2nd S. S.	45.00
Aux. Roanoke Rapids	10.00
Ellenboro S. S.	5.00
Raeford Church	2.00
Lumber Bridge S. S.	1.35
Rockingham S. S.	2.41
St. Paul's S. S.	11.62
St. Paul's Aux.	3.20
Aux. Little Joe's	23.00
Eureka S. S.	3.30
Wm. & Mary Hart S. S.	1.51
Sanford S. S.	8.83
Hopewell S. S.	2.50
Aux. Smithfield	4.00
Aux. Circle 3, Albemarle	4.50
Albemarle 1st Church	18.81
Glade Valley Church	1.18
Hills Church	.32
Jefferson Church	2.12
Jefferson Aux.	1.13
Lexington Aux.	3.00
North Wilkesboro Church	20.40
North Wilkesboro Aux.	4.76
North Wilkesboro S. S.	42.53
Obids Aux.	.40
S. S. Rocky Mt. 1st	13.51
S. S. Lincolnton 1st	4.15
Laurinburg 1st S. S.	19.37
Winston-Salem 1st Church	150.00
Aux. Circle 5 ,Raeford	3.00
Bethel S. S., Davidson	2.70
S. S. Hickory 1st	45.30
Woman's B. C. Salisbury 1st S. S.	7.00
Aux. Spindale	2.00
Rutherfordton Church	31.13
Aux. Lillington	6.00
Aux. Westminister, Greensboro By Mrs. E. P. Wharton	20.00
Pearsall Memorial S. S.	10.40
Aux. Manley	15.00
Aux. Mt. Tabor	3.00
Karnegay S. S.	1.00
Men's B. C. Cramerton S. S.	16.67
Seversville Church	35.00
St. Andrews Church	47.00
Thyatira S. S.	6.95
Aux. Wadesboro	16.00
Aux. Circle 1, Glenwood	9.00
Graves Memorial S. S.	3.41
Shelby Church	16.41
Aux. High Point 1st	15.00
Brotherhood B. C. Salisbury 1st. S. S.	25.00
Young Men's B. C. Greensboro 1st S. S.	10.00
Pembroke S. S.	20.00
Bethany Church	.55
Bethpage Church	5.61
Concord 2nd Church	3.02
Davidson Church	37.50
Elmwood Church	.56
Franklin Church	2.25
Gilwood Church	2.30
Harmony Church	6.45
Hickory 1st Church	44.70
Kannapolis Church	5.34
Marion Aux.	3.75
Marion Aux.	3.75
Old Front Church	.21
Prospect Church	3.28
Salisbury 1st Church	30.41
Salisbury 1st Church	10.73
Shiloh Church	1.28
Thyatira Church	7.38
Unity Church	.86

—P. O. H.—

Girls Varsity Basketball Team

Boys Varsity Basketball Team

CORRECTION

The quilt credited to Mrs. C. E. Murphey, in March Messenger was from Group 2, Young People of Griers Church.

—P.O.H.—

IT'S A JOY

To know a man who puts truth above creeds.

To find a soul that can admire the good in his enemy.

To meet a woman who is proud of her womanlness.

To hear of a humble hero who has won the recognition he deserves.

To listen to a hard-boiled business man praise his competitor.

To see a boy make opportunites out of obstacles.

To believe the universe is on the side of the man who is fighting for the right.

—P. O. H.—

HONOR ROLL FOR SEVENTH MONTH

SIXTH GRADE

Leila Johnston.

EIGHTH (A) GRADE

T. L. O'Kelley, Jr.

—P.O.H.—

MERIT ROLL FOR SEVENTH MONTH

First Grade—Daisy Caton, George Lewis, Myrtle Mills, Annie Sue Wilson and Eugene Whitener.

Second Grade—Helen Billings, Vvelyn Billings, William Billings, Emma Eudy, Louise Martin and Russell McKenzie.

Third Grade—Hannah Elliott, and Lucile Johnson.

Fourth Grade—Myrtle Mays, Daniele Salvaggio and Helen Thomas.

Fifth Grade—Alice Jones, Charles O'Keley.

Sixth Grade—Claybourne Jessup, andClyde Johnson.

Seventh Grade—Dewey Barnhill, Georgia Burgin, Irene Forte, Louise Wilson.

Eighth (A) Grade—Hattie Primm.

Eighth (B) Grade—Bonnie McKenzie, Hattie Morris, Miriam Sanders, Iris Spencer, Joy Stone.

Ninth Grade—Herbert Blue, Graham Long, Phyllis Morgan, Lois Mott, Bruce Parcell.

Tenth Grade—Lucile Beck, Marian McCall, Ruth Shannon, Mildred Thomas.

Eleventh Grade—Robert Blue, Lucile Long.

MISTAKES

"There are seven mistakes of life that many of us make," said a famous writer, and then he gave the following list:

The delusion that individual advancement is made by crushing others down.

Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves cannot accomplish it.

Refusing to set aside trivila deference in order that important things may be accomplished.

Neglecting development and refinement of the mind by not acquiring the habit of reading.

Attempting to compel other persons to believe and live as we do.

The failure to establish the habit of saving money. —Clipped.

—P. O. H.—

A MODERN SLOGAN

This is taken from a high school contemporary, but it reads so good, we want to pass it on. The following from Allantown, (Pa.) Canary and Blue.

"Don't take yourself so seriously." This prime rule of the life of Diwght Morrow, whose untimely death was this year mourned by our country and the world at large, commends itself to the high school students. The youth of high school age is liable to take himself too seriously. He forgets that there are other people in this world, people older and more experiencd than he. He fails to acknowledge that other people have accomplished and are still accomplishing things of far greater importance than the things that make him rate himself so highly. The person who is willing to acknowledge the merit of another man's work is likely to achieve for greater happiness and success than is the person who takes himself too seriously and fails to see the significance in his neighbor's progress.

—P. O. H.—

DID YOU KNOW THAT

Tennyson could take a worthless piece of paper, write a poem on it and make it worth $65,000. That's skill.

Some men can sign a cheek and make it worth $50,000. That's capital.

The government can take an ounce of silver worth 50 cents and make it into a watch spring worth $50.00. That's skill.

An artist can take a 50-cents piece of canvas and paint a picture on it worth hundreds of dollars. That's art.

A merchant can take an article costing 75 cents and sell it for $1.00. That's business.

The author of this article can write a check for $9,000 but it wouldn't be worth a cent. That's tough.

Rumple Hall

RUMPLE HALL, MARCH 21—Spring has come and school will seon be out. Everyone is looking forward to vacation time and are planning to have a good time.

Kiwanis is over and all of us enjoyed the good supper and the interesting program.

The grammar grades are going to play class games to-night. The sixth and seventh are going to play and the one that wins will play the special sixth.

We had a good picture up here Saturday night and the name of it was the "Beloved Rogue."

Easter is coming and we are looking forward to a holiday.

Track and baseball has started and everyone is glad.

We enjoy hearing Fred Kirby sing over the radio every Monday, Tuesday, and Friday night.

We are going to have the birthday dinner to-morrow and three of our girls go.

Mr. Jackins took us to walk Sunday afternoon and we thank him, and hope he will take us again.

We hear the study-hour bell ringing so we had better stop. We will try to write more next month.

Synod

SYNODS COTTAGE, March 25 Here we are again anall excited about Easter. We are looking foward to a visit from Bunny rabbit this week end. We will have a holiday from school monday.

Miss Andrews bought us some marbles when she went to Charlotte and gave each boy two. We are all very fond of playing marbles and thank her for them.

Friday night the Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis Clubs held their annual banquet at Rumple hall. We were all invited to supper. After supper we were entertained with a St.-Patrick's Day program. Six of our boys took part in it. We enjoyed it and hope we can go again.

Miss Taylor's aunt, Mrs. Donald, spent Monday night with us, and we hope that she enjoyed being with us as much as we enjoyed having her.

We started playing baseball and practicing for Track meets, so until you hear from us again you'll know that's what we're doing during our spare time.

Nelson Farmer
Miller Blue

—P. O. H.—

Clothing Money

Edna B. Cathey, Oxford, Pa.	25.00
Aux. Lumber Bridge	13.00
Beg. & Pri. Dept. Washington 1st. S. S.	13.43
Aux. Lexington	40.00
Aux. Raeford	25.00
Aux. Winston-Salem 1st	45.00
Aux. Warrenton	10.00
Minnie B. Hall's B. C. Belmont 1st.	22.50
Aux. Kings Mt. 1st.	22.50
Aux. Howard Mem., Mrs. Cobb and Holderness	16.50
Aux. Howard Mem., Mrs. Mabry Hart	5.00
Aux. Newton	22.50
Aux. Westminster, Charlotte	25.00
Aux. Mt. Olive	11.88
Aux. Shelby	2.00
Wharey Mem. Aux., Mooresville 1st.	40.00
Aux. Yanceyville	1.50
Betty Penick Phil. Cl., Raleigh 1st. S. S.	2.50
Aux. Raleigh 1st.	22.50
Aux. Smithfield	22.50
Aux. Sugaw Creek	51.00
Aux. Covenant, Lowell	2.00
Aux. Front St.	12.50
Rumple B. C. Salisbury 1st. S. S.	2.50
S. S. Fayetteville 1st.	1.50
Aux. Gastonia 1st.	316.25
Aux. Laurinburg	67.50
Aux. Centre	1.50
Aux. Tenth Avenue	2.00
Aux. Roanoke Rapids	2.00
Aux. Reynolda	40.00
W. W. Class, Mebane 1st. S. S.	1.50
Aux. Bethesda	2.00
Euphian S. S. Class, St. Andrews Wilmington	2.50
Raeford S. S.	2.00
Berean B. C. Mt. Olive	2.50
Good Will B. C., Fayettevile 1st	10.00
Cadwell Mem. S.S. Class	1.50
Aux. Quaker Meadows	15.00
Aux. Maxton 1st	63.50
L. B. Class, Dunn 1st S.S.	2.00
Aux. Back Creek	7.50
Aux. Hamlet	22.50
Aux. Red Springs	5.75
TOTAL,	$1,125.31

—P. O. H.—

Thanksgiving

Dunn 1st Church	75.31
S. S. First Vanguard	2.00
Rock Branch Church	6.68
Charlotte 2nd Church	3.00
Burington 1st Church	202.85
Aux. Wallace	10.00
Aux. Charlotte 2nd	50.00
Charlotte 2nd Church	63.00
Bethesda S. S.	6.00
Charlotte 1st Church	142.00
TOTAL,	$643.04

Miscel. Support

J. W. Matthews, Rocky Mt.	$ 5.00
F. P. Tate, Morgonton	6.00
D. S. Craig, Statesville In lieu flowers I. L. Bell	5.00
A Friend	100.00
Mr. & Mrs. A. P. Thorpe Rocky Mt.	5.00
A Charlotte Friend	5.00
Mrs W. H. Bowling, Rocky Mt.	10.00
C. K. Brown, Davidson	25.00
E. L. Baxter Davidson, Charlotte	25.00
Biss Addie Webb, Raleigh	5.00
Miss Edna Leland, Charlotte	5.00
A Friend	50.00
Mrs. J. A. Long, Haw River	10.00
O. J. Thies, Jr., Davidson	10.00
Harry P. Deaton Morresville	500
Elizabeth Houston, Greensboro	5.00
Clon Evans, Jr., Chapel Hill	10.00
TOTAL,	$286.00

——P. O. H.——

Alexander - Dairy

DAIRY News, March, 17—It sure was cold a couple mornings last week and last Saturday it snowed for a while. With the exception of these few days of bad weather we have had enough good weather to repair one of our fences.

Last September our barns were packed full of alfalfa, clover, etc. We fed our cows pretty heavy with this hay, but we have done away with only two-thirds of it. We also had three stacks of straw and now it has reduced to only one-half of a stack.

"Pet," our dairy mule isn't but twenty-four years old and hasn't been working on the dairy pulling the milk wagon and hauling the trash for about ten years. "Pet" has held out pretty good until his foot was hurt last year. Then the dairy borrowed "Lightning," the truck farm mule for a few weeks. "Pet" is back on the job now and doing his duty as well as ever.

We have nine more weeks of school and everyone is looking forward to the closing.

Some of the boys are still playing marbles in their spare time, but the majority are tired of this form of sport.

—Carson Woods

—P. O. H.—

Lees

LEES COTTAGE, March 25—We have been watching track here lately and hope to have a fine team this season.

We have made a lot of bird-boxes for the trees around Lees Cottage this month. Blue Birds mostly us our boxes.

We were glad when Kiwanis, Lions, and Rotary clubs of Iredell County had their annual supper up here. We enjoyed the eats and the program was real good. And after it all we went to a show in town.

Easter is almost here and we will be glad to have Monday as a holiday. We are expecting to have a good time on that day.

We are counting the days until chool is out and then comes vacation, swimming and lots of other good times.

We wish you a very happy Easter and now we must say good-bye.

—P. O. H.—

Lottie Walker

2nd FLOOR

LOTTIE WALKER (Second Floor) March 22—Did you ask were we enjoying this weather? Well, I should say we are, but if it gets real hot I'm afraid there will be no work done because we all get lazy.

We had the Kiwanis Supper Friday night and we sure had a nice time. Did we eat and how! The program was very nice and the supper delicious.

Two girls were talking about 3 o'clock Saturday morning and a car turned in at the gate and one of them said: "Is that someone coming to Kiwanis?"

Our basketbal season is over now, all but the girls' grammar grades are going to play to-night. The baseball season is here now and just watch us knock home-runs!

The Second Floor girls had their program in the dining room Sunday morning and we were told that it was very good. We had to get it up ourselves, because the music teacher had so much on her hands this week that she couldn't help us.

We had a real good movie up here Saturday night.

We have lost two more of our girls since the last time we wrote and we sure do miss them. Hope they're having a nice time.

Just think, just two more months of school. Will we be glad, not much. Then comes vacation time and we are all looking forward to that.

Can you tell us anything else to say? Our brains are not in working order this morning.

Yours till the kitchen sinks.

Support

Little Beg. Soc., Hope Mills (special)	1.00
Aux. Lowell	10.00
Roxboro S. S.	32.10
Trinity Ave. S. S.	8.50
Durham 1st	20.00
Aux. Rocky Mt. 1st	15.00
Aux., Caldwell Mem.	24.61
New Hope S. S.	6.00
Aux. Circle 1-2-3 Graham	2.10
Elise S. S.	1.00
Aux. Pittsboro	1.00
Aux. Fuller Mem.	10.00
Aux. Circle 4 Alamance	5.00
Aux. Blacknall Mem.	24.00
Aux. Greensboro 1st	51.74
Aux. N. Wilkesboro	13.40
Aux. Cleveland	2.00
Aux. Centre	10.00
Aux. Newell	20.00
Men's B. C., Westminster S. S. Charlotte	8.33
Aux. Westminster, Charlotte	25.00
Concord 1st Church, Mrs. John P. Allison	10.00
Aux. Concord 1st (special)	27.00
Covenant S. S. Manchester	3.06
Anderson S. S.	1.40
Aux. Culdee	1.00
Woodburn S. S.	4.74
Aux. Pleasant Hill	5.00
Aux. Myers Park, Business W's. Circle	50.00
Aux. Iron Station	1.00
Reynolda S. S.	31.25
Aux. Shelby	6.15
Raleigh 1st Church	37.50
Grassy Creek Church	.68
Kenly Church	.30
Varina S. S.	.48
Aux. Oxford	5.64
Hebron Church	.32
Oxford Church	10.87
Young Mem. Church	1.12
Aux. N. Vanguard	.60
Aux. Durham 1st	15.00
Aux. Rock Branch	1.50
S. S. Lexington	19.90
Aux. Washington 1st	4.00
Pinehurst Community Church	32.00
Circle 2, Aux. Hickory 1st	5.00
S. S. Union Mills	2.70
Aux. Galatia	2.00
Aux. Raeford	8.13
Aux. Raeford (Spec.)	2.00
Aux. Graves Mem.	16.00
Aux. Sardis	1.00
Aux. Morven	1.00
S. S. Grove	5.13
Aux. Burgaw	10.00
Aux. Burlington 1st.	17.00
Long Creek S. S.	1.83
Aux. Rocky Mount 1st.	50.00
Aux. Smithfield	2.00
Aux. Raleigh 1st.	52.00
Aux. Charotte 1st.	58.29
Aux. Covnant Lowell	2.00
Aux. Covenant Wilmington	7.05
Aux. Reidsville	60.00
Union S. S.	4.75
Aux. Church-in-Pines	4.00
Aux. Pearsall Mem.	5.80
Aux. Pike	1.00
Aux. Lumberton	13.00
Aux. Red Springs Reg.	10.75
Aux. Red Springs Spec.	8.00
Aux. Covenant Manchester	1.20
Aux. Bethesda, Aberdeen	25.00
Belmont S. S.	23.54
Aux. Montpelier reg.	15.00
Aux. Montpelier spec.	15.00
Aux. Jackson Springs	15.00
Aux. Cameron	5.00
Aux. Beth Car	6.00
West End S. S.	3.31
Aux. Ashpole	20.00
Aux. Kenly	1.00
Aux. High Point 1st.	140.00
Aux. Charlotte 2nd.	257.00
Aux. Oxford	36.00
Men's B. C. Greensboro 1st.	17.61
Men's B. C. Greensboro 1st.	17.61
Aux. Thyatira	1.00
Aux. Grove	3.00
Aux. Covenant, Greensboro	22.00
Elise S. S.	1.00
Brittain S. S.	4.00
Nellie Warren B. C., Greensboro 1st. S. S.	25.00
Aux. Circle 3 Howard Mem.	1.95
Concord 1st S.S.	67.43
Statesville 1st Church	43.19
Aux. Hawfields	3.00
Aux. Shiloh, Kings Mt.	2.00
Rowland S. S.	3.85
Aux. Bessemer	5.00
Aux. Burlington 1st	13.00
Aux. Rocky River	3.00
Aux. Midway	2.00
McMilland Church	2.00
Aux. Clarkton	16.72
Aux. Greenville	5.00
Aux. Rocky Point	1.00
McKinnon Aux.	7.00
Aux. Durham 1st	30.50
Aux. Pembroke	2.00
Aux. West End	9.08
Bensalem Church	10.00
Wadesboro S.S.	15.00
Aux. Spencer	20.00
Clarkton S. S.	7.88
Beg. Dept. Immanuel S. S.	5.00
Aux. Carthage	8.00
Smyrna S. S.	2.05
Aux. Smyrna	8.32
N. Charlotte Church	6.00
Rocky Mt. 1st S.S.	15.13
Winter Park Aux.	5.00
Laurel Hill Church	7.97
Laurel Hill S. S.	10 98
Jackson Springs S.S.	12.45
Hopewell S. S.	3.00
New Hope S. S.	5.16
Aux. Mt. Holly	4.60
Sr. C. E. Jackson Springs	2.00
Aux. Raleigh 1st	28.50
Int. P.Y.P.L. Red Springs	2.51
Huntersville S. S.	4.05
Winston-Salem 1st Church	500.00
Flat Branch Aux.	2.00
Flat Branch S. S.	4.00
Mrs. J. L. Porter's Class, Charlotte 2nd	9.77
Y. P. L. Red Springs Church	7.13
Brotherhood B.C. Salisbury 1st	25.00
Young Men's B.C. Statesville 1st	7.56
Shiloh S.S. Kings Mt.	9.53
Mallard Creek S. S.	12.00
Concord (Iredell) Church	10.50
Bessemer S. S.	11.35
C. F. Baucom's S. S. Class, Farmville	1.00
Little Joe's S. S.	2.85
Sharon S. S.	11.28
Cooks Mem. S.S.	12.13
Lillington Church	10.19
Lumberton S. S.	22.92
Jr. Dept. Rowland S. S.	2.00
Red Springs Church	24.32
Montpelier S. S.	8.52
Hebron S. S.	3.00
Warsaw S. S.	20.00
Y. P. L. Rowland	5.00
Godwin Church	4.00
Godwin S. S.	2.90
Black River S. S.	1.57
Thomasville Church	4.00
Cornelius S. S.	7.25
Goshen Church	2.59
Charlotte 2nd Church	150.00
Big Brothers B.C. Durham 1st S. S.	72.10
Aux. Goldsboro	7.70
Men's B. C. Cramerton S. S.	16.67
Beth Car Church	.75
Bolton Aux.	2.00
Burgaw Church	1.90
Clarkton Church	4.32
Geo. Webb Mem. Aux.	.45
Hallsville Church	.24
Immanuel Church	6.13
Oak Plain Church	5.23
Pike Church	2.24
Rock Fsh Church	1.65
Teachey's Church	2.32
Teachey's Aux.	1.87
Willard Church	1.50
Rock Fish Church	1.65
Stanford Church	.81
Westminster Aux., Wilmington	6.30
Woodburn Aux.	4.36
Rock Branch Church	45 00
Rock Branch S. S.	54.00
Int. Y. P. L. Rocky Mt. 1st	1.00
Back Creek Aux.	2.00
Ahoskie Church	5.63
Hollywood Church	.08
Washington Church	2.63
Mitchiner Mem. Aux.	.82
Fountain Aux.	3.75
Williamston Church	1.88
Wm. & Mary Hart	.21
Parmelee Church	.68
Cann Mem. Church	3.75
Aux. Greenvile	25.55
Pearsall Mem. S. S.	10.40
Pearsall Mem. S. S.	22.00
Maxton 1st Church	21.60
West End Church	11.40
Jackson Springs Church	2.25
S. S. St. Pauls	11.10
St. Pauls Church	9.00
St. Pauls Aux.	9.25
St. Pauls Y. P. L.	2.14
Flat Branch Church	4.25
Pri. Class, Philadelphus S.S.	.43
Aux. Philadelphus	10.00
Philadelphus Church	2.00
S. S. Rocky Point	3.55
Caswell Church	10.00
Wildwood S. S.	12.00
West End S. S.	3.80
Tenth Ave Church	54.00
Westminster Church, Charlotte	96.41
S. S. St. Paus	11.10
Tenth Ave Aux.	56.00
Front St. S. S.	7.40
Sanford S. S.	8.90
Moment Class, Raleigh 1st S.S.	6.75
First Vanguard S. S.	7.55
Harrisburg S. S.	36.72
Buffalo (G) S. S.	15.93
Bostic Church	3.50
Brittain Church	3.27
Columbus Church	1.80
Covenant Church, Lowell	13.03
Duncan's Creek Church	1.69
Ironton Church	1.88
Rutherfordton 1st Church	7.29
Union Mills Church	2.32
Union Church	10.87
West Avenue Church	3.75
Cramerton Aux.	1.50
Long Creek Aux.	3.00
Mt. Holly Aux.	11.00
New Hope Aux.	1.50
Union Aux.	2.34
Laurinburg 1st Church	50.75
Jr. C. E. Laurinburg 1st	5.00
Aux. Bethel, Raeford	4.05
Morven S. S.	5.22
Statesville 1st S. S.	37.08
Falettevile 1st Church	82.20
Greensboro 1st Aux.	52.70
TOTAL,	$6,445.63

—P. O. H.—

Gifts

Concord, Mrs. C. H. Long, one quilt.

Durham, Lipscomb-Gattis Co. boys' shirts.

Jefferson, Aux., Lansing Church, one quilt.

Lenoir, Fairview Church, donation fruit and preserves.

Tarboro, Wm. & Mary Hart Aux., Circle 1, Embroidered Spread.

Watha, Aux. Hopewell Church, Circle 2, one quilt.

Willow Springs, Aux. Church, Spence's Church, one quilt.

West End, Circle 3, Pres. Church, one quilt.

Cnarlotte, West Ave. Church, Circle 5, two quilts.

Rock Fish, Galatia Church Circle 2, one quilt.

Sanford, Pocket Church, two hand made rugs.

Old Fort, Auxiliary, one quilt and sack of dried apples.

—P. O. H.—

A timid man who wanted to propose to his girl but never dared finally took her to his family lot in the cemetery and said, "wouldn't you like to be buried here some day?"

March Athletics

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On the same night, our all-stars played Landis all-stars 62-21. On Tuesday, March the 8th, at Troutman was played the first of our annual series of games with the Troutman girls. This is one of the major events of the season. Usually Troutman winds up her season as either County Champions or District Champions or just naturally the best team in this neck of the woods.

And the three-game series is played to determine the superiority of these two neighbor teams. Sometimes Troutman will win; sometimes Barium. Usually taking three games to decide the series. This year, after winning the County Championship, Troutman lost the first game to Barium, 35-23, and then on Friday night March the 11th, Troutman came to Barium to play the final game, and was defeated there, 34-17. Barium winning the series by two straight games. On the same night, the boys in the high school played an elimination series. The ninth grade defeated the eleventh 10-3. The eighth grade defeated the tenth 9-7. Then the eighth grade defeated the ninth 9-7, making the eighth grade Champions in basketball for the boys.

On Thursday night, March 17th, the girls in the high school had their elimination. The ninth grade defeated the eleventh 22-8. The tenth grade defeated the eighth 22-11, and then the ninth grade defeated the tenth 24-20, making the ninth grade Champions in the girls basketball for the season.

On Thursday night, March the 17th, the boys in the grammar grades played off their elimination. The seventh won over the special grades. The sixth won over the fifth, and then the seventh won over the sixth, making the seventh grade Champions in boys basketball for the season.

On Saturday, March the 19th, there was a track meet between the four high school classes. The ninth grade winning, with 43 points. The tenth being runner up with 39. On Tuesday, March the 22nd, the girls in the grammar grades played off their elimination. The sixth grade beat the fifth. The seventh grade beat the special, and then the seventh beat the sixth, making the girls of the seventh grade Champions.

On Friday, March the 25th, the first track meet of the season was held. The Barium team journeying to Oakhurst just outside of Charlotte to what was supposed to be a triangular meet, with Oakhurst, Charlotte Cubs and Barium. The Charlotte Cubs did not participate, however, and the final score was Barium 83 Oakhurst 16.

Before closing this chapter on Spring atletics, we want to mention the doings of the Barium players on other teams.

Bill McKay at McCallie was a shinning light in basketball, and is now out for track. Bill was one of our most consistent track performers last year, and we look for a successful season at McCallie.

At Davidson, Bob Johnston is on the track team, and secured a place in the javelin, in the track meet with Florida. On the Freshman team at Davidson, Lee West scored first in the pole vault, and placed in the discus and shotput. Potter and Bernardo, and J. B. Lee are also on this team. Julian West is one of the pitchers on the varsity baseball team atDavidson.

—P. O. H.—

Clothing Boxes

Gulf, Aux., one box.

Durham, Miss A. H. Collins, one box.

Winston-Salem, Miss Margaret Gorrell, one box.

Shelby, Aux. First Church, one box.

Raleigh, First Church, Betty Penick Phi. Class, one box.

Charlotte, 10th ave. Church, Aux. one box.

Salisbury, First Church, Rumple B. Class, one box.

Maxton, Centre Church, Aux. one box.

Charlotte, Caldwell Mem'l Church Mrs. Kale's S. S. Class, one box.

Yanceyville, Presbyterian Aux. one box.

Roanoke Rapids, Aux. Pres. Church one box.

Raeford, First Church, S. S. Class, one box.

Wilmington, Euphian S. S. Class, St. Andrews Church, one box.

Rowland, First Presbyterian church, Auxiliary, two boxes.

Mebane, First Church Willing Workers S. S. Class, one box.

Fayetteville, First Church, S. S. Class, one box.

Ruffin, Bethesda Church, Aux. one box.

Mt. Olive, Berean Bible Class, one box.

Dunn, First Church, L. B. Class, one box.

Cleveland, Auxiliary, one box.

Waxhaw, Auxiliary, one box.

—P. O. H.—

If a man expects to answer "when the roll is called up yonder," he ought to be on hand occasionally when the roll is called down here.—Religious Telescope.